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Amendments to the Claims:

Listing of Claims:

Claim 1 (currently amended) A liquid crystal display comprising:

a backlight unit comprising:

an optical film positioned above a light source and at least, the optical film including a vacuum layer, a diffusion film, a prism, and a diffusion plate; and

a liquid crystal display panel positioned above the optical film; wherein the vacuum layer is used for isolating heat generated by the light source.

Claim 2 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 1, wherein the vacuum layer includes an upper plate and a lower plate both formed of transparent materials, and the upper plate and the lower plate enclose a vacuum.

Claim 3 (cancelled)

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Claim 4 (currently amended) The liquid crystal display of claim [[3]] 1, wherein the vacuum layer is positioned between the diffusion plate and the light source.

Claim 5 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 1, wherein the vacuum layer is positioned between the liquid crystal display panel and the diffusion plate.

Claim 6 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the transparent materials are selected from the group consisting of glass, acrylic and polycarbonate (PC).

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Claim 7 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the upper plate is used as a prism.

Claim 8 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the lower plate is used as a diffusion plate.

Claim 9 (original) The liquid crystal display of claim 2, wherein the upper plate is used as a diffusion plate.